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TO AMEMBASSY TEHRAN

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SUBJECT: JOINT COMMISSION COOPERATION IN REMOTE SENSING

REF: A) TEHRAN A-147 B) SECTO 20068 C) FARY LETTER OF
11-10-76 TO GHAZI

1. IN REF C FARY OF USGS HAS MADE DETAILED REPLY TO GHAZI
OF REMOTE SENSING AND DATA COLLECTION DIVISION, PLAN AND
BUDGET ORGANIZATION, RE QUOTE PROPOSALS OF THE IRANIAN
GOVERNMENT FOR COOPERATION WITH THE UNITED STATES OF
AMERICA IN THE FIELD OF REMOTE SENSING UNQUOTE. IRANIAN
DOCUMENT WAS PRESENTED TO U.S. SIDE SHORTLY BEFORE USIRJC
IN AUGUST AND IS REFERRED TO IN REFS A AND B.

2. USGS WILLING TO SERVE AS COORDINATOR AND COOPERATOR
FOR THE FIELDS SPECIFIED IN IRANIAN PROPOSALS AND WILL DO
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ITS BEST TO OBTAIN FULL COOPERATION OF APPROPRIATE RE-

SOURCE AGENCIES IN U.S. HOWEVER, IF GHAZI PREFERS TO SEEK OUT THESE RESOURCE AGENCIES DIRECTLY, USGS WOULD LIKE TO BE SO INFORMED. USGS WOULD THEN CONFINE ITSELF TO PURSUING WITH THE PBO THOSE ASPECTS OF THE IRANIAN PROPOSALS SUCH AS IRANIAN DOCUMENT ITEM 4, FOR WHICH IT IS CLEARLY THE BEST QUALIFIED U.S. RESOURCE.

3. REACTIONS TO EACH POINT OF USGS REPLY TO IRANIAN PROPOSALS ARE ALSO AWAITED WITH GREAT INTEREST SO THAT COOPERATIVE PROGRAM IN REMOTE SENSING CAN MOVE FORWARD. IN THIS CONNECTION USGS WOULD WELCOME OPPORTUNITY TO DISCUSS PROPOSALS FURTHER WITH PBO PERSONNEL WHO MAY BE VISITING U.S. IN NEXT FEW MONTHS.

4. ACTION REQUESTED:SCIATT REQUESTED TO CONTACT GHAZI FOR HIS REACTIONS TO FARY LETTER, MOST PARTICULARLY RE ROLE HE WISHES USGS TO PLAY IN U.S.-IRAN COOPERATIVE PROGRAM IN REMOTE SENSING. KISSINGER

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